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Basket Ball Season Starts with a Rush Twenty Five Athletes Answer the Call

LETTERMEN TO HAVE NO SNAP IN RETAINING THEIR POSITIONS ON THE TEAM

Monday night saw the advance of the basketeers upon the gym floor for practice. Letter men of last year were not requested to come out but after viewing the first night of practice they seemed to realize that if they were to win a place on the team they must come out immediately. Among the old faces recognized were A. Perrine, center; Haggarty and R. Perrine, forwards, and Goetze and Brown, guards. Some of the new men who will make it hot for the veterans are Springstead, Hertzbery, Pratt, Duke Fidler, Jack Fidler, Clark Horner, Hurdley, Scovill, and others.

The prospects are bright for the best team that Ypsi High ever turned out. Let's go gang, and back 'em up.

ATHLETIC CLUB FORMED

Last Tuesday under the leadership of Coach Deakin, a boys' club was formed. The membership is made up of fellows who have won their "Y" in any branch of athletics.

The officers are:

F. Williamson, president.

F. Hopkins, vice president.

A. Goetze, secretary and treasurer.

Great things may be expected of this club and already they have indicated their desire to accomplish things. The Athletic Banquet, to be held next Wednesday night will be given under the auspices of the club and we cannot help but believe that it will be a big success. Watch 'em go!

A henpecked man, being told that an old acquaintance was married exclaimed "I am glad to hear it."

But reflecting a moment he added in a tone of compassion and forgiveness "and yet I don't know why I should be, he never did me any harm.

Adam must have been swift footed inasmuch as he was first in the human race.

FIRST FOOTBALL FEED IS GIVEN

MISS WILLIAMSON HOSTESS TO GRIDIRON WARRIORS SATURDAY NIGHT

Saturday evening at 6:30 the members of Ypsi High's football team attended a banquet in their honor by Miss Althea Williamson. The table was decorated to represent a gridiron, the yard lines being made of black paper. The goalposts and the streamers were maroon and white, "Ypsi's fighting colors." The menu consisted of chicken, mashed potatoes, dressing, gravy, fruit salad, pickles, olives, cocoa, and pumpkin pie. By the time Al Goetze had had enough it was decided to adjourn to the show.

To say Miss Williamson's generosity and kindness were appreciated would only begin to express it. The truth is "every one had a whoppin' time and we only wish we had more like her.

Miss Prittikid—But father, he is a man you can trust.

Dad—Good gracious, girl, what I want is a man I can borrow from.

Mother, mother, screamed the terrified youngster.

Mother—Goodness me! What is the matter? Tell me quick!

T. Y.— Daddy fell out of the barn loft and almost scared my dog to death.

JUNIOR PARTY A BIG SUCCESS

BERGIN'S ORCHESTRA FURNISHES THE MUSIC FOR THE DANCING.

Friday night in the high school corridors the Juniors gave their first party of this season. The halls were vey prettily decorated in the Junior colors, the honored blue and gold.

The lights were covered with the same colors and altogether the corridors were probably better decorated than they have been at any time this year.

Promptly at 7:30 o'clock the first strains of music began to pour from four pieces of the Bergin orchestra which furnished the music. The hall was well filled by students and several of the alumni who seem to appreciate the welcome extended to them to come back and enjoy the High School Parties.

Refreshments were served in the lunch room at nine thirty. Many chose to sip their cider (accompanied by fried cakes) in the many cozy-corners and betook themselves thither.

After the refreshments everyone danced until ten thirty when they departed for home.

Several of the teachers chaperoned this, the first Junior party, which was a complete success.

Cheer up! We're in school for an education, not marks.

REMEMBER THE DATE

ATHLETIC BANQUET
WED., DEC. 8, 7:00 P. M.
AWARDING OF LETTERS
R. U. GOING?
ADM. 50 cents to all.

EATS MUSIC FUN

YPSI HI LOSES TO THE ALUMNI

STARS OF OTHER DAYS NOT AS SLOW AS THEIR AGE WOULD SEEM TO INDICATE

On Thanksgiving day Ypsi High play the Alumni in their annual turkey day football game. The weather was ideal for the contest and the financial results were highly gratifying, a sum in excess of $150 being cleared. As in all previous years Ypsi Hi started off with a rush but the heavier weight of our opponents soon told and the final count showed the Alumni 13, Ypsi Hi 10.

The first score came in the early part of the first quarter when after Ypsi failed to gain in three attempts Haggarty drop-kicked goal from the thirty yard line. Score Ypsi 3; Alumni 0.

Ypsi scored first in the second half, Capt. Williamson breaking through the center of the goal line and running twenty yards for a touch-down. Goetze goaled. From this point on the alumni's superior weight began to assert itself. resulting in the removal of several Ypsi linesmen because of injuries. Plunges by Fletcher, a long pass to Platt and end runs by Snyder brought the ball to Ypsi's 5 yard line from which point Beranek took it over. Alumni's second touchdown came when in attempting to intercept a pass, Hopkins knocked the ball into Platt's hands. Fletcher goaling. For the Alumni Fltecher, Snyder, Platt and Wolters played well while Captain Williamson, Goetze and Springstead played well for Ypsi.

FOOTBALL CAPTAIN ELECTED.

R. J. (Bob) Brown will lead next year's footballers. When the season of '21 rolls around Bob will head the list of Ypsi warriors. This is his first year on the team but with the experience gained this year and his own ability we are safe in predicting that he will be one of, if not the best, captain Ypsi has ever had. Luck to you, Bobby, and here's hoping you turn out a winner.

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WHEN DREAMS COME TRUE

Last year, after the football season was completed the members of the team were told again and again of the wonderful feeds, dinners, etc., that they were to receive. As time wore on and no feeds were forth-coming we began to gradually awaken to the fact that the promises were nothing more than promises. Finally the football men gave up in despair.

This year there has been a distinct change. The season is hardly over before Miss Williamson comes to the front and she will quickly be followed by "Pa Goetze" and the Athletic banquet. That is the kind of stuff that makes school spirit. To the people that back the team in this way we would say, "You're the stuff! We are for you."

FIRST HOUR ENGLISH ORGANIZES

The First Hour Class of English III has organized this month with the following officers: Dorothy Babcock, chairman; H. Erickson, secretary and Treasurer. It is hoped that each month's program will outshine the preceding ones and reflect the knowledge gained only through the practical experience gained. English III is a training for citizenship and should be held as such. The importance of realizing this can not be overestimated and since there are but few things in this high school in which we can be so trained, let us work for success and hold ourselves responsible for the result.

YPSI VS. NORMAL HI.

The first debate ron the interscholastic calendar will b held Friday evning between Ypsi and Normal High. Ypsi will be represented by Alan Witherspoon, Paul Wiard and Karl Zeisler. No more abler representatives could have been selected and we can rest assured they will do us credit. At various times, Normal High has asserted her superiority over our school and here is our chance to show them we are right there. It is imperative that every available root -er turn out to see Ypsi High come to the fore. Let's go, students, and give the boys the proper support!

FOURTEEN BOYS ATTENDED GRAND RAPIDS CONFERENCE

Last Friday, Saturday and Sunday fourteen boys from Central High attended the 18th State Older Boys' Conference held in Grand Rapids.

The Conference was conducted by the Y. M. C. A. and proved a success in many ways. Over 1900 boys were present, many excellent addresses were heard and a spirit of service and comradeship with the Master was felt throughout. The highest of youth's ideals were dealt with and all left with the conference motto: "The World's Life and Mine" very near to his heart. Sunday night as each delegation read its resolution the Ypsilanti delegation's resolution was to carry back the spirit of the conference and help organize a Hi-Y club in this school.

DON'T STOP

By Rudyard Kipling

If you stop to find out what your wages will be
And how they will clothe and feed you,
Willie, my son, don't you go on the Sea,
For the Sea will never need you.

If you ask for the reason of every command
And argue with people about you,
Willie, my son, don't you go on the Land,
For the the Land will do better without you.

If you stop to consider the work you done
And to boast what your labor is worth, dear,
Angels may come for you, Willie, my son,
But you'll never be wanted on Earth, dear!

POINTED PARAGRAPHS

Smith— What's the difference between valor and discretion?

Brown—Well, to go to a swell restaurant without tipping the waiter would be valor.

Smith—I see, and whats discretion?

Brown—That would be to dine at a different restaurant the next day.

Lady—I'm afraid you don't like work, my good man.

Tramp—How kin, I mum? Work's what killed my pore wife.

A man who had never been hunting, shot a duck in the air. The duck fell dead to the ground.

"Well, you got him!" exclaimed the ametuer's friend.

"Yes," replied the amateur, "but I might as well have saved my ammunition, the fall would have killed him."

George Haggerty—If you see a girl

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continually you are apt to fall in love with her.

A Goetze—That's right. I must admit I'm in love with a girl in a tooth paste ad.

Elsie, aged five—I hope some Dutchman will marry me when I grow up.

Aunt Mary—Why, dear?

Elsie — Because I want to be a duchess.

Sheriff—Give me a description of your missing cashier. How tall was he?

Banker—I don't know how tall he was but what worries me is that he was 1,500 short.

Miss Hardy in Geometry—Mr. Elliott, what is a ten sided figure?

John, absently—A dead parrot.

Miss Hardy—A what?

John—Oh, I mean a polly-gone.

A pretty good firm is Watch & Wait
Another is Attit, Early & Late,
Still another is Do & Darritt,
But the best is Grin & Barritt.

Miss Straub—Mr. Brown, take that seat over there.

Bob—Why can't I sit here. This seat fits me like a cradle.

Miss Straub—Well, then that is where you belong.

Mr. Nissly—Ronald, where were you last night?

Ronald—Oh, Ted and I were just riding.

Mr. Nissly—Well you tell Ted that he left his muff in the car.

WE— smoke, cuss, sneak, used to drink, and we used to cut dates, over draw bank accounts, hate a stiff shirt, borrow clothes, ye we used to bull fight, shoot craps, sleep in our classes, flunk exams and yet they love us just the same.

WHILE THEY powder their noses scream, come out, Did to!, while they are late for dates, profit by our over drawing accounts, love an evening gown (do to!) sure they cat fight, play parchesi, stay away from class altogether and flunk in exams too, but still we love them just the same.

Carey—How are those cigars I gave you? For 200 wrappers they give you a victrola.

Smith—Huh, after 200 of them I'd want a harp.

A health to the girl who can dance
like a dream;
And the girl who can pound the piano,
A health to the girl who writes verse
by the ream;
Or toys with high C in soprano,
To the girl that can talk and the
girl that can not,
To the saint and sweet little sinner,
But here's o the cleverest girl of
of the lot,
A girl who can cook a good dinner.

A. Witherspoon—I see by the papers that more than half the world's population are women.

F. Hopkins—I dont think so. If it was how is it that one half of the world doesn't know how the other half lives?

We can not dodge our nature's
That is beyond our reach,
The girl who is born a lemon,
Can never be a peach.

Miss Hardy, at B roll call—Don't make so much noise. If you are absent just say so.

M. Davis—Gaudy's Chocolate Shop is like a counterfeit dollar.

Ted—Why?

Marian—I can't pass it.

T. Williamson—to play foot ball one must be mentally as well as physically strong.

Haggarty—Oh, so that is the reason you play so poorly, is it?

A Beal—Why don't you laugh at my Sem jokes?

A. Witherspoon—I always respect old age.

Teacher, siezing a little Freshie as he left the room—I believe Satan has a hold of you.

Freshie, frightened looking at the hand detaining him—I—I believe you are right!

He—How those old college songs haunt me!

She—They ought to, you've murdered them often enough!

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MOSTLY OTHERWISE

'Tis sweet to love,
Yet, oh! how bitter
To love a girl
And then not gitter

Of course we know that the boys who went to the conference had a splendid time. Even if by no other way, at least by the fact that they came straggling into school at all hours Monday shows that they were reluctant in leaving Grand Rapids. And they made good use of their spare time there, too. Why the ministers son even took great delight in a burlesque show.

The Juniors are coming along, ain't they? at least well enough to give a rippin' good party? Music, decorations, cider and well, just a general good time.

What's the matter with the sophomores? They ought to have spirit if any have. But maybe their motto is "Last but not least." At any rate they seem to be last in about everything, mentally and socially. Perhaps they're planning a big surprise along toward the end of the semester. But let the rest of us tell you, sophies, we are ready for something RIGHT NOW!

Before another issue of the Sem comes out the first volley ball games will be played. Freshies vs. Sophs and Juniors vs. Seniors. The underclassmen girls have been practicing with all their force and might. So they promise us a good game. Are you going to see your team win or lose?

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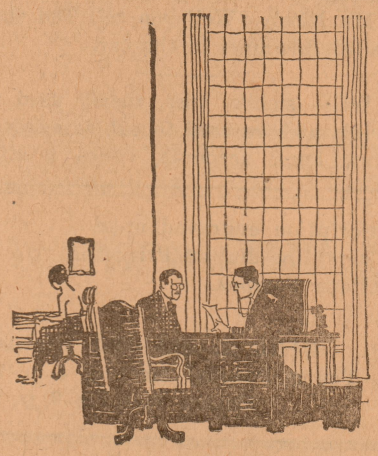
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